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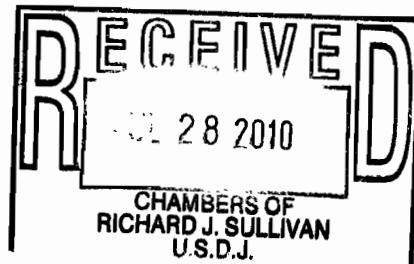
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VIA US MAIL

The Honorable Richard J. Sullivan
United States District Judge
United States District Court
Southern District of New York
500 Pearl Street, Room 640
New York, New York 10007



Re: Van Etten v. Mitsui & Co (U.S.A.), Inc. 09-Civ-1071 (RJS)

Dear Judge Sullivan:

As Your Honor is aware, we represent Plaintiff Andrew Van Etten in the above-referenced matter. Pursuant to Local Civil Rule 1.4, we write to respectfully request the Court to issue an order directing that Renan F. Varghese, Esq. be withdrawn as an attorney of record for Plaintiff. Renan F. Varghese, Esq. is no longer associated with Thompson Wigdor & Gilly LLP, counsel for Plaintiff, and will not continue his representation of Plaintiff in this matter. Given the continued representation of Plaintiff by TWG, this withdrawal will not affect the posture of the case.

Thank you for Your Honor's consideration of this request.

Respectfully submitted,

Kenneth P. Thompson

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SO ORDERED
Dated: 7/28/10
RICHARD J. SULLIVAN
U.S.D.J.